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"MADE IN MONESSEN" EVERY DAY

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MORE COMMUNICATIONS ON THIRD CLASS CITY

FEW CASES IN LOCAL COURT

Ike Wagner was before the burgess this morning on a charge of drunkenness. Ike's troubles started yesterday when he met an old friend from Allegheny. The men had not met for some time and decided to have a love feast, the main feature of which was fire water. After his friend had departed, Ike entered a down town butcher shop to buy some meat for dinner, and started to handle the meat and when told to stop, he swore at the butcher and attempted to hit him. The butcher called the police who took Ike to the cooler. This morning Ike begged everyone's pardon and begged to be excused. He said that he only had one drink. He was informed that it was doubted he only had one drink but that it was not in the usual glass, but must have been a water bucketfull to make him so drunk. He was discharged with the warning that if he appeared again, he would be made work on the streets.

Fred Felgar of Dutchtown, plead guilty to a charge of being drunk and using bad language on the street. He was discharged.

Poverty Dance

A poverty dance and euchre will be given by the Knights of Pythias No. 168 and will be the first held in Monessen and preparations are being made to have the hall properly arranged for the event. Friday night, March 19, 1915. K. of P. hall over the Olympic theatre. It is decreed that "glad rags" will be "tabooed" and anyone not complying with the edict will be promtly fined by the chief magistrate Colonial orchestra. 23c per head.

Pool Tournament Ending

Tonight the pocket pool tournament at the Olympic will close, this being the eighth game to be played between Manager Harry Lebowitz and Pete Caipriene, the Italian wonder and a fine game is looked for, as Pete is said to be an extra good player. Tonight's game will decide the best two men against Lebowitz. As it stands today, Manown and Gleason stand the highest and will be the men for the "play-off" Friday night unless Caipriene should raise the standard and step into the limelight tonight. The two men having the highest scores will play Friday night for the handsome silver loving cup to be presented by Manager Harry Lebowitz to the winner.

A Commendable Act

Yesterday the local Italian Beneficial society mailed a draft to the Italian prince for $216 40 for the benefit of the earthquake sufferers. This was the net amount of the proceeds of the ball given by the local society for this benefit. The returns were most gratifying to the members of the committee and the beneficial society and they wish to thank all persons who made it possible to send from Monessen this goodly sum.

Mary Pickford in "The Fibber and and Girl" at the Olympic today. 1t

"The Walls of Jericho" featuring Claire Whitney at the Olympic tomorrow. 1t

San Tox Greaseless Cream keeps the skin smooth and healthy—25c at Kirk's.

Infants' Food and Infants' Toilet goods at Kirk's drug stores.

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REPRESENTATIVES
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Monessen Savings Trust Company

Daniel Reamer Comes Back Again With Some Very Strong Argument Upholding the Third Class City Idea--Others Are Not so Slow About Expressing Their Views on the Opposite Side.

Peoples Forum.

This column is devoted to the expression of the opinion of our readers and in no wise denotes the paper's opinion on or sympathy with any question involved.

Editor Daily Independent:—

When an experiment is tried, the public, if interested, watches with the keenest of interest for the final outcome which demonstrates it a failure or success Government by commission is 14 years old, and the wonder, as one advocate says, is not that it has come and come to stay, but that it was so long in coming. Over 100 years of experimenting in legislation has passed, and only as a result of an unforseen calamity was there born a system of government which has so engrafted its principles in the body politic and corporate as to make it fixed, permanent It has been demonstrated. It has passed beyond the experimental stage and a living testimony of its efficiency and undeniable success is found in every state which has adopted it Galveston, Des Moines, Houston, Memphis, Birmingham, Portland. Denver, Spokane, Oakland, Los Angeles, Tacoma. New Orleans, Mobile Lynn. Dayton and about 400 other towns of varying business conditions, racial differences and make-up have tried it, are trying it, are adopting it and of all the number, including the 30 or more ofg Pennsylvania, only one, Connellsville, has been found to damn it. and no one dares to stand up and openly say that the law is responsible for the condition The law and its virtues and it has its defects as all good laws in their inception have had, is not condemned by Connellsville, but the condemnation comes from ward healers, officers and special interests, and maligners and slanderers in Monessen.

Watch Connellsville and demand the truth from interested and mysterious creatures, not rational beings, but just happened to be created or "as Topsy" growed. The general verdict has been improvement in finances, engineering, public health and safety, city planning and safety, and in every city where adopted, incompetence has become less common in municipal affairs, graft scarcer, and the political boss faded away Commission government is a blow struck by the taxpayer, it is his friend, and after years of suffering of impositions, greed and selfishness of professional hangers on and special interests of graft and looting of the treasury, the tax payer demands protection. Success in commission government lies in the concentration of the legislative and administrative powers and responsibility therefor in one and the same body and the small elective body of five commissioners chosen by the people, not by the pernicious ward system, from the town at large and by non partisan and secret ballot, affording an opportunity of selecting

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Conkey's Starting Food for Baby Chicks—25c and 50c at Kirk's Drug stores.

"The Walls of Jericho" featuring Claire Whitney at the Olympic tomorrow. 1t

"Exploits of Elaine" at the Olympic today. 1t

Sarah Bernhardt in "Queen Elizabeth." This wonderful picture will be shown at the Luna theatre Monday, March 15. 27-6t

Select Dance in Turner Hall

A feature event at Turner hall Friday evening will be the dance given under the auspices of Pancook Brothers orchestra which is being looked forward to as among the finest of the season.

As a special attraction Jesse Caswell and his partner of Pittsburgh will be present and demonstrate all the modern steps and give free dancing lessons from 8 to 8.30 o'clock, and during the balance of the the evening they will mingle with the company and lend assistance where necessary in going through the new and more difficult dances.

Excellent music for the occasion will be provided by the Pancook orchestra and nothing will be overlooked by the committee that will tend to insure a pleasant evening for all guests.

FOR RENT

Seven rooms, bath, water paid, Donner avenue	$25.00
Five rooms, bath, Jones building,	$25.00
Five rooms, bath. Oaks apartment, Eighth street	$28.00
Five rooms, bath, furnace Knox avenue	$25.00
Five rooms, Rostraver street..	$17.00
Four rooms. Highland avenue American family only	$15.00
Three rooms, Third street	$12.00
Three rooms. use of bath, Reed avenue. near Sixth	$12.50
Two rooms. Schoonmaker avenue	$.7.00

NEWCOMER & WOLF
24-3t Corner Sixth and Donner fp eod

See the strong man and the best in photo plays at the Star today. Free atraction in front of the theatre at 7 o'clock. 5c and 10c. 1t

"Charity Ball" at the Luna Thursday. Are you going? 25-6t

For Rent.

7 room house and bath	$30.00
6 room house and bath	25.00
5 room flat and bath	25.00
4 room flat and bath	20.00
5 room flat and bath	20.00
3 room flat and bath	15.00
4 room flat and bath steam heat	25.00

SHUSTER & REED
0-tf 519 Schoonmaker Ave.

MONESSEN WON CHECKER GAME

Last night at the Grand hotel Monessen's checker team defeated the Monongahela crack aggregation by the score of 10 to 12. These are considered among the best teams of the valley and lock horns every chance they get. Heretofore Monongahela has had the best of Monessen on several occasions, when our team was under some disadvantage, short of men, or crippled in some other way, but last night, Monessen was at her best and all players were right there with the goods.

Monongahela put up an exceptionally strong game, but Monessen was able to go her one better and carry off the laurels.

The score follows:

Monongahela	W	L	D
Rothrock	0	2	2
Thornley	0	3	1
Dr. Lynch	1	1	2
Hamilton	1	3	0
Dean	3	0	1
McCullough	2	0	2
Meany	1	2	1
Black	2	1	1
Totals	10	12	10

Monessen	W	L	D
Bloom	2	0	2
Dr. Pipes	3	0	1
Potter	1	1	2
Rambo	3	1	0
Crawford	0	3	1
Gibson	0	2	2
Eddie	2	1	1
Preach	1	2	1
Totals	12	10	10

"Renfax Talking Moving Pictures" at the Olympic today. 1t

Conkey's Lay a Tonic will make the hens lay more eggs—25c and 50c at Kirk's.

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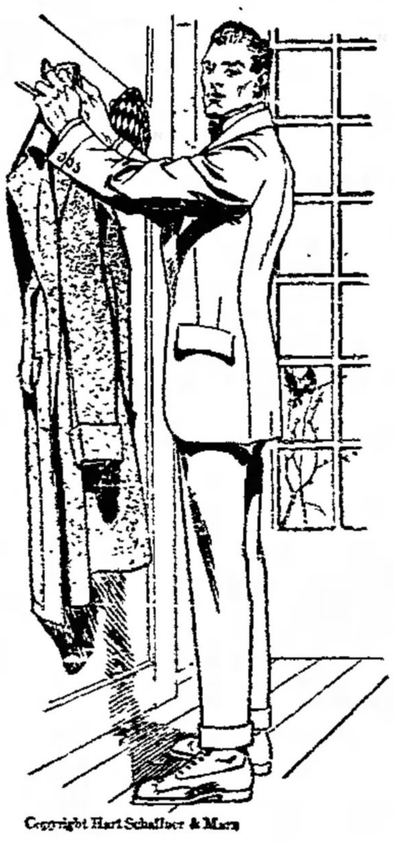

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RAILROAD PUBLICITY

The railroad companies giant corporations wealthy and until recently independent, are going back to the people with a paid message, asking that public sentiment wipe out a law they claim derogatory to their interests. It is represented that even the employes of the company are favorable to the repeal of the full crey law. However, we have it from the men that this is not entirely true, but the truth or falsity of the statementa is not the question at issue in this article. We want to discuss the railroads in connection with our own business, that of publishing a newspaper. A few years ago the railroad companies used considerable space in this paper and every other paper of known reputation and worth to enlighten the people as to railroad schedules and other matters of importance. All of a sudden there was a general retrenchment, advertisements were dropped from the papers and the money that was spent to enlighten the people with regards to the operations of the railroad companies was turned into other channels.

It has come to pass in the affairs of these companies that they need the columns of the newspapers in order to arouse public sentiment in an effort to further railroad interests. At such a time expense is not an issue. Space must be purchased at any price and the columns of the paper used to arouse public interest to help the railroads get the kind of legislation they want. We still hold the opinion that railroads should be forced, by legislation if necessary, to carry time tables in newspapers of general circulation through which their lines operate, so that the public can have full knowledge as to the time of arrival and departure of trains. The railroads should at all times use publicity as a means to educate the people and not only at a crisis of some kind.

BE PROMPT AT THE BANK

The safety valve of local finances without doubt is the bank. Treat the bank right. If your interest is due, step in that day and pay it. In this way, you not only preserve your credit, but you assist the bank in making it easy to extend further credit and keep up the revenue of your community. If you hang back a day or two and if every other borrower hangs back a day or two making it necessary for another statement to be sent out or a call in person from a bank representative, you are not only adding expense, but you are making it harder to get a loan the next time. Be punctual with the bank, even more so than with any other institution.

"What's your hurry?"
"My fire insurance expires at noon!"
"What company are you in?"
"I don't bother about details."
"Ever take notes from your customers?"
"Sometimes."
"Ever take a note without knowing the name of the man who made it?"
"Well, I guess not!"
"What is a note, anyway?"
"A promise to pay."
"What's a fire insurance policy?"
"I get you! A promise to pay if you have a fire."
"Exactly. You're paying good money for a promise to pay without knowing the name of the company that promises!"
"Say, what company are you in?"
"The panic-proof Hartford Fire Insurance Company. A company that has promptly settled every honest loss for 105 years.
May we show YOU a Hartford policy? Costs no more than others.

The Hartford Fire Insurance Company

Write or Telephone

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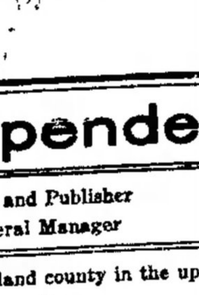
Eldon, Mo. — "I was troubled with displacement, inflammation and female weakness. For two years I could not stand on my feet long at a time and I could not walk two blocks without enduring cutting and drawing pains down my right side which increased every month. I have been at that time purple in the face and would walk the floor. I could not lie down or sit still sometimes for a day and a night at a time. I was nervous, and had very little appetite, no ambition, melancholy, and often felt as though I had not a friend in the world. After I had tried most every female remedy without success, my mother-in-law advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I did so and gained in strength every day. I have now no trouble in any way and highly praise your medicine. It advertises itself."—Mrs. S. T. HURLEY, Eldon, Missouri.



Remember, the remedy which did this was Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. For sale everywhere.

It has helped thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, that bearing down feeling, indigestion, and nervous prostration, after all other means have failed. Why don't you try it? Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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FOR RENT—April 1st, a 4 room apartment, bath, laundry and hot water heat. Mrs. Rinehart. Phone 2851L. 28-3t

FOR RENT—5 room house and bath, reception hall, cemented cellar. Rent $20. Water paid. 1108 McMahan avenue. 28-3t

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, $10 a month. Inquire 220 McKee avenue. 28-3tp

FOR RENT—April first, six rooms, bath, furnace, cement cellar, all conveniences, $25.00 per month. Water paid. R. L. Peterman, North Charleroi, Fifth and Center street. 24-6tp

FOR RENT—New five room front flat, polished floors, shower chandeliers and all modern conveniences. Cheap rent for steady tenant. Apply Shuster & Reed. 25-tf

FOR RENT—Six room house with bath, newly painted and papered throughout, Ninth street, rent $20. Duvall & Duvall. 21-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture, a fine cash register and counters and show cases. Must be sold this week at the Peoples Racket store, 448 Donner avenue. 28-4t

FOR SALE—Match team horses, two horse road wagon, harness, pony, buggy and harness, gas range, large new dining table. All must be sold by March 20. Arveias Johnson, 1062 Highland avenue. 24-6tp

More Communications on Third Class City

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and electing honest and efficient men of executive ability and moral worth, an opportunity not possible under the borough and ward system. These men, thus selected, are nearer the people and held accountable and when they reach the point where suspicion points its finger, they quickly pass from public view. The power is evenly divided, the mayor having a little more and every interest of the city is of easy control and the re-organization becomes more efficient in every department. They are united, the voters, the governing power, tied together, making easy the influence of the one upon the other.

The League of Cities of the Third Class sent out inquiries as to the workings of the new form of government and as to its success. In order to have an unprejudiced source the information was asked from bankers and business men, not from enemies or friends, and 19 banks and 20 individuals from the then 28 cities of the third class, reported as follows: 22 said it was a success, 3 no and 3 expresed no opinion; 21 cities reported the people as generally pleased with the system, 3 no and 4 no opinion; 23 citites said it had created more interest in city affairs on the part of citizens, 2 no, and 3 no opinion. In reply to the first question as to the success of the new form of government, Harrisburg, Hazelton and Johnstown reported unfavorably, Harrisburg owing to a system of appointed commissions in connection with the operation of the government under the old system, was from the first opposed to the Clark bill. In a personal interview with the mayor of Harrisburg he was enthusiastic of the excellence of the commission system in the management of the water works, but did not think it would work in the city. If a success in one department, why not the other?

In Hazelton charges were preferred against one member of the council which tended to produce friction and lack of harmony in the new board, while there was a doubt of Johnstown being fairly represented in the report, yet says, elect five commissioners without pay, who should hire the best man possible as city manager at a good salary and have the initiative, referendum and recall for the five commissioners. Hazelton wants seven commissioners with school, city and poor adminstration under one body. Harrisburg says that to make a good municipal government in my opinion, you must eschew politics.

There should be no hesitation upon the part of anyone to espouse the commission government and a fair investigation will show to all that the best government enjoyed by a municipality is the government which brings the people and the administrative and legislative powers together, absolutely impossible under the present condition. Strike from the minds of anyone who has written on the subject for the Independent his selfishness, and his influence will be exerted for commission government.

Daniel Reamer

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Mr Editor:—

In reply to some of the things said about the signers of this mysterious document for a third class city, first let me ask "Mystery" and "Property Owner" has the poor man a right to vote? I presume the answer will be yes, but let us do the thinking for him. He has no right to think and should not express himself, especially in municipal affairs. The working man certainly should not be bold enought to advocate a bill that would benefit the majority, when a small minority would be inconvenienced. Property owner says this town has $7,000,000 property valuation. Who pays the major portion of the tax represented by this property valuation. Why the working man.

The workingman is assessed about one half of his actual property value whereas big business is assessed about one eighth. I claim the working man is entitled to some consideration in this matter.

Where does the business man derive his income from? Does it come from the wealthy? No. It is time business men began to realize that the workingman is his mainstay.

Well it is true that some of we workingmen did sign the petition without going into the Clark bill thoroughly, but we had a right to do so on information received and what knowledge we had of the Clark bill.

Last fall we were urged to vote for "Penrose and Prosperity." Mr. Business man handed us this slogan. Well we got Penrose, but Prosperity has not yet arrived. Of course it is no good to kick now, for Big Business pulled his usual trick on us. If you gentlemen who are opposed to the Clark bill think only a few are discontented, you had better refer back to the Bond Issue and the recent attempt to improve a thoroughfare for the benefit of big business. Ask why these were turned down.

(Signed) "One of the 106."

Mr. Editor:—

Allow me just a space to stick in a few words about our movement now on foot for a commission form of government or a third clas city. Some people are yelling around why are not some of the hotel men's names on the petitions as signers for a third class city. I will answer. Because it increases their licenses just twice as much as they now pay. Enough tax money from the hotels to pay the mayor and four councilmen for their work. Another thing a third class city would do away with and destroy the political ring. Wouldn't that be a blessing to the morals and finances of our city. Then if that was done there would be no necessity for the town officials to meet in a club room in order to conspire against the people's interests and perpetuate a system debasing and dishonest Some fellows say that Connellsville does not get along good, but no one goes on record and says that it is because it is a third class city. You will find that the men who are running the town are to blame. Don't you think our town would be better taken care of if we had men who were paid for what they do? Some people are slapping Daniel Reamer in the face. When he was burgess he was never accused of holding meetings in a club room, conspiring against the people's interests. The people can answer for him, so far as I know his record, he concealed nothing. Let us have a third class city and now is the time to act.

Pleasant.

Moving Dental Office Only

Dr. Cornelius, the dentist, has rented rooms in the new Myford building, No. 408 Donner avenue, near Fourth street and is now moving his offices from the Mikalarias and Berbatis building, where he has been located for several years. Dr. Cornelius will not however, have his living quarters in this building, but will continue his residence at No. 18 Knox avenue. Dr Cornelius expects to have his new offices fixed up and ready for business by Saturday, and he extends a hearty invitation to his many patrons and friends to call and make themselves at home.

Miss Emma Weirtella, aged 35 years, died at 11.30 last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. W. Nabi, No. 503 Sixth street, pneumonia being the cause of death. The funeral services will be Thursday from the Finnish church, interment Grandview cemetery

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Thousands of women, as well as men, take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets now and then just to keep in the pink of condition.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the successful substitute for calomel—10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

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One of the best known and most reliable tissue builders

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is both a flesh builder and nerve tonic. Pleasant to take. Easy to digest.

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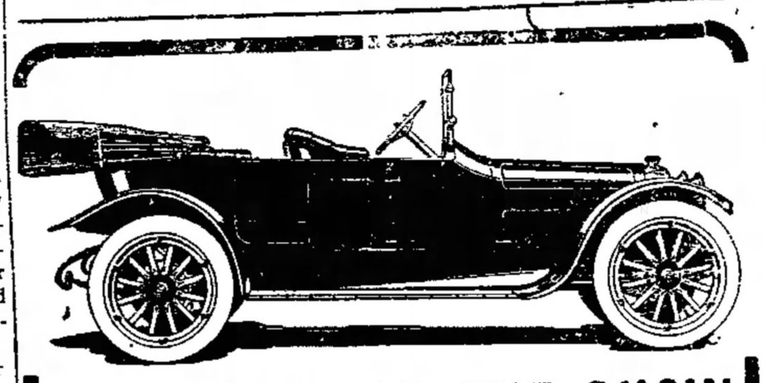

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Gasoline for the Trade

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Corner Second and Donner

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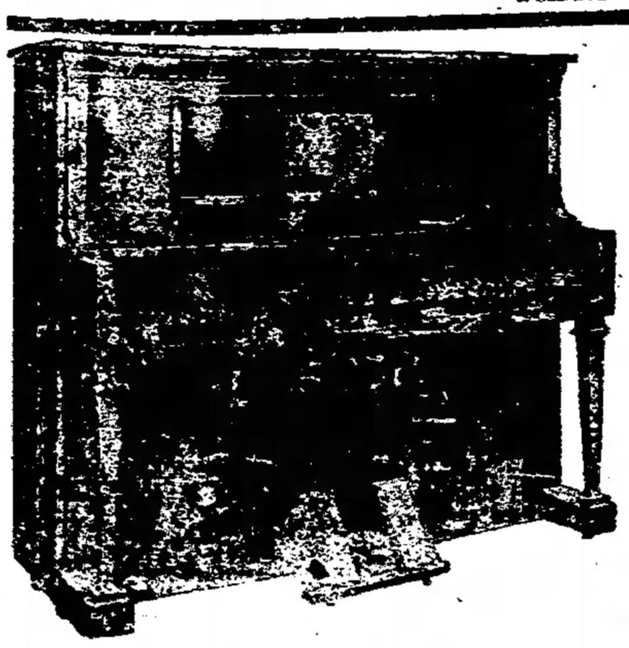

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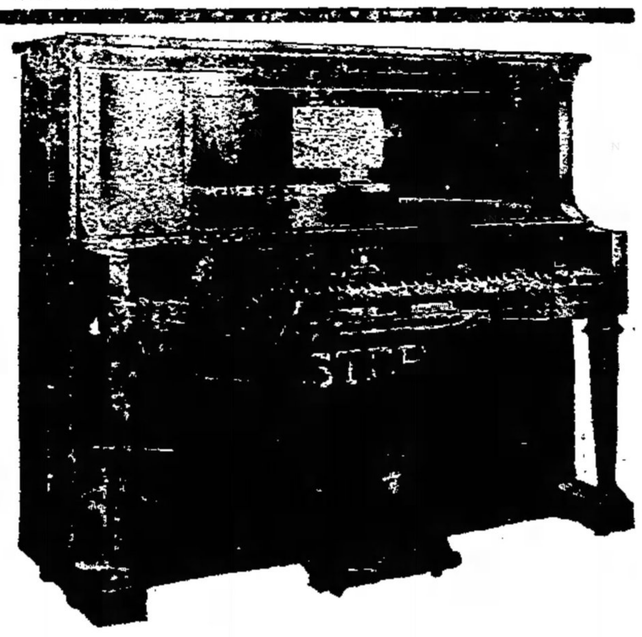

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The Weston class of the M. E. Sunday school held a most enjoyable meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Gordon on Donner avenue. Twenty members were present and a most enjoyable evening spent. Readings were given by Miss Beatrice Melick and Miss Robinson and Mrs. Bagley of Washington who was present. A musical program was also rendered. A delicious lunch waseserved by Mrs. Gordon, which was very much enjoyed.

The Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. D. C. Farquhar on Reed avenue, last evening. The study of last evening was in charge of Mrs. F. F. Gregg, the subject being "The Child at School." A delightful luncheon was served during the evening.

The men's bible class of the Methodist church will on April 1st, entertain the ladies of the church. In a recent contest in the Sunday school the ladies won out and the result is that the men are to entertain them. The nature of the program is to be kept a secret, and the ladies are promised a big surprise and a most pleasant evening.

Funeral This Afternoon

The funeral of Clyde Stewart who was killed on the P. & L. E. railroad Sunday morning, was held this afternoon, the body being taken to Fayette City, his old home, the funeral cortege leaving Monessen about 1 o'clock. The funeral services were held in the Latter Day Saints church, Fayette City about 2:30 and the church was filled with friends of the unfortunate young man.

Deceased lived on Morgan avenue, Monessen and met death while shifting in the Pittsburgh Steel yards shortly after going to work, the body being passed over by the engine, but he was not cut in any way. He leaves a wife and four small children.

Misses Mary and Margaret Gorman of the M. C. Gorman dry goods store, were Pittsburgh callers today.

Well Known Man Dead

Hamilton Newcomer, widely known throughout this section of the valley, died at his home, South Brownsville, about 1:45 Tuesday morning. Mr. Newcomer was 68 years old and had been ill for several weeks. The funeral services will be held Thursday, conducted by the Rev. Charles R. Harmon, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church in which deceased was an elder. Hamilton Newcomer was the father of Warden Newton Newcomer of Uniontown. Charles Newcomer of Charleroi, is a son.

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The Pirates were last night stopped in their onward march toward the top in the race now on at the Olympic alley by the aggresive Cubs who won two out of three games. The Cubs surged a little farther away from the rest of the teams by last night's victory. The games were very exciting and much interest was shown by the large crowd present. These games are attracting considerable interest and attention. The Cubs have had a nice lead in the race and look to be pretty sure of winning the handsome silver loving cup to be donated by Manager Harry Lebowitz. Last night's score follows:

Pirates				
Lebowitz	111	117	126	354
Daly	102		123	225
Nelson	102	121	126	349
Stonage	125	130	115	370
Freeman	115	99	133	347
Team average—585.				
Cubs				
Cavill	153	150	142	445
Bearer	100	143	116	359
Leigheber	96	119	102	317
O'Toole	165	134	101	400
Eddy	126	126	100	342
Team average—624				

Stonage was high in three games for the Pirates with 270, with Freeman high single, 133.

With the Cubs Cavill was high three game man, 445, while O'Toole made the best single record, 165.

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Local Notes

Mrs. M. Doney of Gallatin visited relatives here today.

Mrs. A. T. Scott of Reed avenue, spent today in the city.

Mrs. Frank Soles and son Franklin of Tenth street, were calling on friends in Webster today.

See "Honor of Bill Jackson" at the Star tomorrow and others 5c. 1t

R. D. Wolf, of Greensburg, poor director of Westmoreland county, was a caller in town today.

"Exploits of Elaine" at the Olympic today. 1t

Miss Mollie Karl of Aliquippa street, spent the day with friends in Donora.

Mary Pickford in "The Fibber and and Girl" at the Olympic today. 1t

Mrs. J. F. Smyth and Mrs. George Graul of Schoonmaker avenue, were shopping in the city today.

Dr. Arthur A. Kunkle of Homestead, has opened dental parlors in the Cramer building, Second and Schoonmaker. Dr. Kunkle is an experienced dentist and comes here well recommended and will establish permanent offices. 27-6t

Mrs W. H. Wagoner and daughter Leone, have returned to their home in Ravenna, Ohio, after spending the past few days with relatives here.

"Renfax Talking Moving Pictures" at the Olympic today. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. William Bleuel of Springfield, Ohio, who have been visiting relatives here for the past few days, returned home last evening.

Every Tuesday at the Star an Alliance feature with an all star cast and mutual program. Nothing any better. 29-6t

Mrs. Nancy Darrah of Schoonmaker avenue, delightfully entertained a number of lady friends last evening. The home was tastefully decorated in the season's colors. Music, vocal and instrumental were the main features of the evening. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess at the close of the evening.

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Olympic Program.

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WEDNESDAY—"At the End of a Perfect Day," drama. "The Boob and the Baker," Comedy. "The Fibber and the Girl," Imp drama. "The Answer," Eclair Comedy. "Fatty's Infatuation," Lko comedy. "Exploits of Elaine."

THURSDAY—"Prayer of a Horse," Universal drama. "Mystery of the Man Who Slept," Rex drama. "The Runaway Closet," Sterling Comedy. "File No. 113," Biograph.

FRIDAY—"The Affair of the Deserted House." The first serial of the Kalem production "The Detective Girl," promising to be as good as "TheMaster Key," "The Black Box" or "The Exploits of Elaine." "The Treason of Anatole," an Imp drama. "The Laugh that Died," Victor drama. "Taking Her Measure," Nestor drama.

SATURDAY—"The Curse of the Desert," Bison. "Saved by a Shower," Joker comedy. Animated Weekly. "The Broken Circuit," Kalem drama. "Billy's Wager," Vitagraph.

In addition to our regular program of six reels daily, we have for Monday, the thirteenth episode of "The Master Key." Tuesday, March 9, the attraction of the hour "The Flooding and Opening of the Panama Canal." Here is your opportunity to see the why, when and where as well as the how of the Panama canal, with only 10 cents and not with $15,000 as you would if you went to see it.

Wednesday, we have "The Exploits of Elaine" in six reels. This is the third episode and has proved itself already equal to any of the serials of the day, "The Master Key," or that of the coming serials, "The Black Box" and "The Detective Girl." Thursday, The Box Office Attraction company in "The Walls of Jericho." This production has been played for months in the greatest theatres in the large cities Friday, "Th Detective Girl" in two reels, a serial picture. Saturday, "The Curse of the Desert," in two reels, with Grace Cunard and Francis Ford.

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